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EXHIBIT: #VI.D.

TO: Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: William H. Beardsley, Deputy Commissioner*

DATE: November 9, 2016

SUBJECT: Receipt of the Report of Findings for the University of Maine at Presque Isle

BACKGROUND: At the September 14, 2016 meeting, the State Board of Education voted to approve the review team for the University of Maine at Presque Isle (UMPI) Educator Preparation Program. Under the leadership of Dr. Lane Clarke of the University of New England, an on-site program review was conducted from Sunday, October 16 through Wednesday, October 19, 2016. The review team submitted the report of findings to the Maine Department of Education on October 26, 2016. The report was emailed to UMPI on October 26, 2016 for an assessment of errors of fact and returned to the Department of Education on October 27, 2016.

RECOMMENDATION: That the State Board of Education receives the University of Maine at Presque Isle (UMPI) report of findings and consider approval at the December 14, 2016 meeting.

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